



License Agent News



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www.dfg.ca.gov/licensing/index.html

CalTIP

Report poaching or polluting incidents

(888) DFG-CALTIP or (888) 334-2258

Bear Season Closed

The 2008 Bear Season has come to an end, reported harvest reached the allotted 1,700. Please display the enclosed flyer at your license sales counters informing customers that bear season is closed.

Inventory Reminders

- Bear Tag Application Books (20080113) expire on December 31, 2008, and are required to be returned by **January 20, 2009**. The last day to receive credit on this item is June 30, 2009.
- Deer Tag Applications, Waterfowl Applications and Waterfowl Area Permits expire on January 31, 2009, and are required to be returned by **February 20, 2009**. The last day to receive credit on these items is July 31, 2009.
- The 2008/2009 Hunting Licenses, Pig Tags, Upland Game Bird and California Duck Stamps expire on June 30, 2009, and are required to be returned by **July 20, 2009**. The last day to receive credit on these items is December 30, 2009.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact the License Agent Order Desk by telephone at (916) 928-7691 or email agent@dfg.ca.gov.

Sales Reminders....

Instructions for Issuance

Please remind license sales staff to read the instructions on the license books prior to issuing license items. Questions regarding license requirements, issuance or reporting should be directed to the Department's Compliance Unit.

Proof of Hunter Education

All applicants must show evidence of hunter education to obtain a California hunting license. Please refer to the inside back cover of the hunting license books for acceptable proofs of hunter education.

Required Information Before a License Can be Issued

By law, you cannot issue a blank license. When issuing a license, you must enter the date issued, the name, residence address, date of birth, and physical description. When someone buys a license for another person, you must write in the licensee's name and residence address before issuing the license. The licensee may not use the license until he/she has signed it and filled in the missing information (physical description and date of birth). (Sections 705 and 707, Title 14, California Code of Regulations)

Issuing Duplicate Licenses

To issue a duplicate license, the customer must surrender the "Application for Duplicate License" and pay the duplicate license fee. The "Application for Duplicate License" must have the back completed and be attached to the duplicate license book. If the customer does not have the "Application for Duplicate License" they must purchase a license at full cost.





OFFICIAL NOTICE

DECEMBER 09, 2008

2008 BEAR SEASON IS CLOSED

The California black bear hunting season is now closed because the Department of Fish and Game has determined that 1,700 bears have been reported taken (Sec 365, Title 14, California Code of Regulations). **You are hereby officially notified that you are no longer authorized to hunt bear during 2008.**

If you have taken a bear, you must immediately return the report card portion of your tag to the address below. If you did not kill a bear, please return your tag to the Wildlife Branch at your earliest convenience, but no later than **February 1, 2009**. (Sec 708(e)(6)(B), Title 14, CCR).

Wildlife Branch
DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME
P.O. Box 944209
Sacramento, California 94299-2090

If you have questions regarding bear hunting regulations or tag requirements, please contact the office above or the nearest Fish and Game office listed below.

DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME OFFICES

EUREKA—619 Second Street, Eureka, CA 95501, (707) 445-6493
FRESNO—1234 E. Shaw Avenue, Fresno, CA 93710, (559) 222-3761
LOS ALAMITOS—4665 Lampson Avenue, Suite C, Los Alamitos, CA 90720, (562) 342-7100
MONTEREY—20 Lower Ragsdale, Suite 100, Monterey, CA 93940, (831) 649-2870
NAPA—7329 Silverado Trail, Napa, CA 94558 (707) 944-5500
RANCHO CORDOVA—1701 Nimbus Road, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670, (916) 358-2900
REDDING—601 Locust Street, Redding, CA 96001, (530) 225-2300
SACRAMENTO-License and Revenue Branch—1740 N. Market Blvd., Sacramento, CA 95834, (916) 928-5805
SAN DIEGO—4949 Viewridge, San Diego, CA 92123, (858) 467-4201